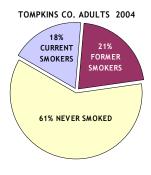
Tompkins County residents smoke 10,091 packs a day... and pay \$2.71M a year for Medicaid to treat smoking-related disease.



Cost to Tompkins County Taxpayers [TFT 2004, NYSDOH 2004]

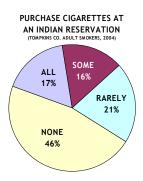
- Packs of cigarettes Tompkins' residents smoke per day10,091/day
- Medical and lost productivity costs attributable to smoking in Tompkins County\$36.17M/year
- Tompkins County payments to Medicaid for causes attributable to smoking......\$2.71 Million/yr

Shopping for Cigarettes [TFT 2004]

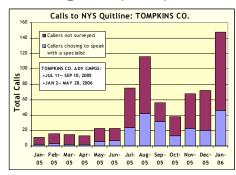
Pct of Tompkins' smokers who got cigarettes at an Indian Reservation.....53%
Pct of Tompkins' smokers who got cigarettes online24%

Industry Spending to Sell Cigarettes [TFK 2005]

Cigarette marketing by tobacco industry in NYS (2003)\$516 M/yr Increase in spending since 1998.....+45%



Working to Help Tompkins County Smokers Quit [NYSSQL 2005]



Tobacco Free Tompkins' marketing efforts helped boost Tompkins County calls to the NYS Quitline by +520%.

Average monthly calls to the Quitline from Tompkins County

Year before T-Free marketing campaign......13.2 calls/mo after T-Free marketing campaign......81.9 calls/mo

T-Free: Tobacco Free Tompkins is a partnership of community organizations and individuals dedicated to reducing the social and economic burden of tobacco use in Tompkins County by working toward these goals:

Reduce tobacco use in Tompkins County and prevent initiation of tobacco use

Reduce exposure to secondhand smoke

Reduce social acceptance of tobacco use

Increase access to cessation services and help each other quit for good.

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NOTES & SOURCES

Numbers provided are estimates and subject to the margin of error of the source.

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Tompkins pop (U.S. Census est. 2003) = 101,411 Age 18+ years (81%) = 82,143 X 18.2 percent smokers (from TFT survey) = 14,950 smokers.

smokers X avg cigarettes smoked per day (13.5 from TFT survey)

= 10,091 packs smoked per day in Tompkins

Medical & lost productivity costs = \$9.82 per pack: from NYTCP 10,091 packs per day X \$9.82 costs per pack = \$99,094 /day (\$36.17M /yr) in medical and lost productivity

Medicaid costs \$5.70 per pack in NYS: from CDC: http://www.cdc.gov/tobacco/datahighlights/page6.htm \$5.70/pack X 10,091 packs/day in Tompkins = \$57,518.70 Medicaid cost/day in Tompkins

Medicaid cost/day in Tompkins X 365 = Medicaid cost per year.

Tompkins County share = 12.9% of total Medicaid: from http://www.health.state.ny.us/nysdoh/medstat/ex2003/cy_03_sh.xls

Reservation and Internet sales (TFT Community Tobacco Survey, June 2004): Individuals who *identified themselves as smokers* were asked:

<u>Ques 53</u>. In the past 12 months, have you or a friend or relative purchased cigarettes for your own use at an Indian reservation or through an Indian enterprise? YES: 53.3% NO: 46.7%

If YES, how often? All: 31.9% Some: 29.4% Rare: 38.8%

Ques 55. In the past 12 months, have you or a friend or relative purchased cigarettes for your own use from a web site or on the Internet? YES: 24.4% NO: 75.6%

If YES, how often? All: 28.6% Some: 26.4% Rare: 44.9%